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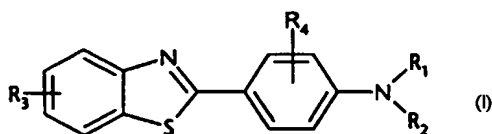
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and R₂, together with the nitrogen atom linking them, form a 5- to 7-membered heterocyclic radical; and R₃ is hydrogen; or C₁-C₂₂alkyl; and R₄ is hydrogen; hydroxy; C₁-C₂₂alkyl; or C₁-C₂₂alkoxy; is described. The compounds of formula (I) are suitable especially as UV filters in cosmetic preparations.

(57) Abstract: The Use, as a UV filter, of a compound of formula (I), wherein R₁ and R₂ are each independently of the other hydrogen; unsubstituted or halo-, amino-, mono- or di-C₁-C₅alkylamino-, cyano- or C₁-C₅alkoxy-substituted C₁-C₂₂alkyl, C₅-C₁₀cycloalkyl, carboxy-C₁-C₂₂alkyl, carboxy-C₆-C₁₀aryl, C₆-C₁₀aryl, C₆-C₁₀aryl-C₁-C₅alkyl; carbamoyl; or sulfamoyl; or R₁

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